

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE



In re: Application of
JOSEPH A. ZIEROLF

Serial No. 09/843,998
Docket No. 200017 USA
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Examiner Edwyn Labaze

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Commissioner for Patents
Alexandria, VA 22313

Sir:

AMENDMENT

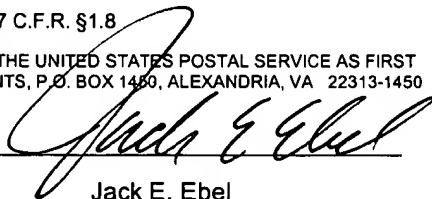
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